

A \$200,000 Stock of Pianos, Organs, Musical Instruments to be Sacrificed at The Annual Xmas Sale of the Cable Company

Every instrument in this sale is guaranteed. A Stool and Scarf is given absolutely free with every Piano. You can buy now and we will hold and deliver the Piano as a Christmas surprise. Owing to the closing out of a branch store, we have on sale the largest lot of Piano bargains ever displayed in this store. Over \$200,000.00 worth of stock, representing the finest of The Cable Company's line of Pianos, together with standard Pianos of other makes, a fine line of Organs, and our complete stock of small instruments, are offered during this stupendous sale at prices in some cases only ONE-HALF THE REAL VALUE. DON'T OVERLOOK THE OPPORTUNITY. IF YOU EVER EXPECT TO BUY A PIANO, YOU WILL NEVER HAVE ANOTHER CHANCE THAT WILL BE AS GOOD AS THIS ONE.

LOOK AT THE EXTRAORDINARY ARRAY OF BARGAINS.

- 1 Knabe Grand Piano (second hand), cost \$1,500, now...\$400
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- 1 Booth Bros. Upright (second hand), cost \$300, now...\$200
- 1 Booth Bros. Upright (second hand), cost \$300, now...\$148
- 1 Waters Upright (second hand), cost \$300, now...\$125
- 1 Halleck & Davis (second hand), cost \$325, now...\$125
- 1 Knabe Upright (second hand), cost \$600, now...\$275
- 1 Imperial Upright (second hand), cost \$400, now...\$135
- 1 Fischer (second hand), cost \$400, now...\$125

24 Conover Pianos, from our branch house stock, shop-worn and slightly used, but as good as new. Every Piano guaranteed. Stool and Scarf free. Regular price, \$400.

Now \$300 up to \$400
according to condition.

18 \$400 Kingsbury Pianos, slightly used, but in every respect in perfect order. Fully guaranteed. Stool and Scarf free.

Now \$255

Buy now. We hold and deliver Christmas eve.
J. G. CORLEY, Mgr.

18 \$300 Wellington Pianos, shop-worn, but as good as new.

Price \$275

11 Cable Pianos, formerly sold for \$450, have been out on rental. These Pianos have been repolished, revoiced, tuned and regulated, and are practically as good as new. Priced now at

\$298
Stool and Scarf free.

Small Instruments

of every description—Guitars, Banjos, Mandolins, Music Boxes, Harmonicas, Sheet Music, Music Cabinets, etc., etc.

Banjos\$1.50 up
Guitars\$4.50 up
Violins\$5.00 up
Music Rolls, 75c, \$1.00, \$2.00, \$3.00

9 \$275 Wellington Pianos, slightly used, but in good condition.

Price \$190

Special Prices, Xmas Only.
Several Carloads Upright Pianos ordered especially for Xmas trade,

\$150

Talking Machine Department

We Are Distributors of Victor Talking Machines.

The Victor is the finest Talking Machine made. For general, all-round satisfaction, there is no amusement that combines pleasure and education as a Talking Machine. With it you can have in your own parlor the music of the grand organ, the music of the greatest operas, the superb voices of Caruso, Scotti, Calve, Melba, Nordica, the master pianists of all time, and music of every kind and description, from vaudeville to grand opera.

Victor Talking Machines from \$10 to \$100 and Up.

For This Sale Only

12 Brand New DeKoven Pianos, just from the factory; perfect condition and tone, and exceptionally fine bargains. To Christmas customers,

Price \$198

16 \$275 Wellington Pianos, shop-worn, but as good as new.

Price \$212

Price \$248
Stool and Scarf free.

16 \$350 Kingsbury Pianos, shop-worn and slightly used, but in perfect condition.

Price \$224

Stool and Scarf Free with every piano sold
RICHMOND, - VA.

The Cable Company.

ONE HUNDRED MEN LEAVE THEIR WORK

Demand More Money and Drop Out When Fibre Plant People Refuse Them.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., December 12.—Following a dispute with the management of the Champion Fibre Company's plant, at Canton, N. C., one hundred laborers employed at the factory quit their jobs yesterday afternoon and came to Asheville last night. Some of them left on a later train for various lumber camps in this section of the State, while a number of them are still in the city.

The cause of the strike is said to be the refusal of the company to grant cer-

tain demands asked by the laborers. The men, it seems, demanded an increase in wages and also better living quarters. A committee from the company a week ago, and was told that an answer would be made yesterday. When the committee returned and were informed that the answer would be deferred, the men refused to work and returned to their quarters. The strike followed.

Connell—McCall.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SPENCER, N. C., December 12.—Mr. James E. Connell, of Spencer, and Miss David McCall, daughter of Mr. John McCall, of Hendersonville, were united in marriage at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride in the latter place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. M. Grinnon, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Hendersonville, in the presence of a number of friends and members of the immediate family. Mr. George W. Connell, a brother of the groom, and Mr. Charles Ray, of Spencer, attended the wedding. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Connell left for Jacksonville, where they will spend a few days, after which they will return to Spencer to live.

WARRENTON HAS LOVELY WEDDING

Miss Anne Gordon Keith Becomes Bride of Mr. Edward Mason Spilman.

RECEPTION AFTER NUPTIALS

Friends Gather Around Newly-United Couple and Wish Them All Happiness.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WARRENTON, VA., December 12.—A wedding of great social interest took place here this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock from St. James's Episcopal Church, the pastor, Rev. W. H. Laird, officiating. The contracting parties were Miss Anne Gordon Keith and Mr. Edward Mason Spilman, Jr. The bride was given away by her brother, Hon. J. A. C. Keith. At the altar they were met by the groom and his best man, Dr. Robert W. Spilman, of Norfolk. The maid of honor was Miss Juliette Keith, of Richmond, a cousin of the bride. The ushers were Messrs. H. C. Spilman, O. L. Fletcher, Gen. B. Day Spilman, Lucien Keith, Winston Payne and Sam Wortham.

The bride was becomingly gowned in white net, over tulle, and carried a bride's bouquet of white roses. Her going-away dress was a handsome tailored suit of black broadcloth. She is the daughter of the late Isham Keith, president of the Court of Appeals.

Mrs. John Hicks presided at the organ. After the ceremony a reception was tendered the bridal party and a few friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. C. Keith. The presents were numerous and handsome, particularly a solid silver service given the bride by her brothers.

WEDDING AT CHESTER.

Beautiful Nuptials of Mr. McKenzie and Miss Robertson.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHESTER, VA., December 12.—A beautiful wedding was celebrated here this evening. When Miss Mabel G. Robertson, the daughter of Mr. George E. Robertson, of the place, became the bride of Mr. John McKenzie, of Petersburg, assisted by Rev. H. J. Payne, of Farmington, Richmond.

The altar of the church was banked with a profusion of palms and ferns, and these, with the variegated lights of the chandeliers, produced a charming scene. Miss McKenzie wore a gown of white, with a high collar and long sleeves, and carried a bride's bouquet of white roses. Her going-away dress was a handsome tailored suit of black broadcloth. She is the daughter of the late Isham Keith, president of the Court of Appeals.

Mrs. John Hicks presided at the organ. After the ceremony a reception was tendered the bridal party and a few friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. C. Keith. The presents were numerous and handsome, particularly a solid silver service given the bride by her brothers.

tical usefulness and value, gave evidence of her extended acquaintance and popularity. Mr. McKenzie, the happy wife of "the Jewel," is a resident and draughtsman in Florence, S. C., and claims he received the greatest gift of the occasion.

PRETTY WEDDING.

Miss Lelia Smith Becomes Bride of Mr. Charles E. Bagby.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
MINERAL VA., December 12.—The Baptist Church at this place was the scene of a very attractive marriage this evening at 5 o'clock, when Miss Lelia Smith, the daughter of Mr. Charles E. Bagby, and Mr. Charles E. Bagby, Jr., became the bride of Mr. Charles E. Bagby, Jr., a progressive merchant of this place. The soft strains of the wedding march, charmingly rendered by Miss Lelia Coleman, of this place, the bride entered the left aisle with her maid of honor, Miss Francisco, while the groom and his best man, Mr. Edward Wash, entered the right aisle, and met the bride under an improvised arch of evergreen, where the ceremony was impressively performed by Rev. J. R. Wilkinson, pastor of the church. The bride was attired in a becoming suit of gray, with hat and gloves to match, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The ushers were Messrs. James Bagby and Edgar Lacy, of Richmond; Chancellor Coleman and Willie Francisco, of this place. After the ceremony the bride's parents, where an elegant reception was held.

JOHNSON—JETT.

Pretty Wedding at South Hill. Miss Jett Becomes Bride.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SOUTH HILL, VA., December 12.—Mr. Z. V. Johnson and Miss Louise Jett were married at noon today at the home of Mrs. Laura Jett, Brookland, Va., only the members of the household witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. E. F. Hall, of South Hill, Va. The bride was becomingly attired in a white, with hat to match, while the groom wore the usual black. Miss Jett was reared in Floyd county, and is a most attractive blonde, possessing with her beauty a charming personality. The bride's parents, where an elegant reception was held.

Harvey—Blair.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
HINESVILLE, VA., December 12.—Miss Willie Evelyn Harvey, of Vandavia, Va., was married recently to Mr. William Addison Blair, a prosperous young merchant of Breeza, Va., by Rev. P. H. Jones, officiating. The interior of the Vandavia Baptist Church, at which place the wedding ceremony took place, was beautifully decorated with cedar, ferns, holly and eighteen lighted wax candles. Promptly at 3 o'clock P. M., under the sweet strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, rendered on the organ by Miss Mabel Hines, of Danville, Va., the bridal party entered the church and moved slowly down the aisle until the bride and groom halted under a large white bell in front of the altar. Then followed the beautiful and impressive ceremony, which made the "union one."

The bride's sister, Edna, was maid of honor. She was becomingly attired in light blue silk, with tulle over tulle, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The ushers were Messrs. James Harvey, of Danville, Va.; Mr. T. Belt Fulton, of Danville; and Mr. E. Withers Harvey, of Danville. The groom and his best man, Mr. Stokely Fulton, of Breeza, both wore the conventional black.

The bride was given away by her stepfather, Captain D. P. Cooke, of Lynchburg. The presents were numerous, beautiful, and some of them very costly, consisting of silverware and cut glass.

Immediately after the ceremony, the bride couple drove to Breeza, where they will reside, and where they will be at home to their friends for some time to come. A multitude of friends wish Mr. and Mrs. Blair happiness.

JUDGE ORDERS SALE OF UNFINISHED HOTEL

Property Must Be Disposed of for Enough to Cover Amount Expended on It.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., December 12.—Judge Allen, of the Superior Court, yesterday ordered that the handsome new hotel being erected by the Smith estate at a cost of \$250,000, must be sold before the February term of court, at which time the court will pass, on its acceptance or rejection. He further ordered that the selling price must be sufficient to cover the amount already expended by the estate.

Work was begun on this hotel, which is of concrete construction, six months ago. Sixty-eight thousand dollars was paid for the framework, and since then extras have been added, amounting to about \$7,000. From statements by interested parties it seems that in order to clear all indebtedness, and to recover the amount already expended, a bid of \$250,000 will be necessary to purchase the property.

Work was suspended 30 days ago, when the trustee of the estate found that he had exhausted all cash in hand, and was unable to raise money on the real estate owned by a Smith estate.

Christmas Stockings!

How to fill them is the yearly problem again upon us. There are plenty of gifts; stores and windows full at every turn. But selecting the right gift for the many—aye, "there's the rub." You can buy pretty and useful things—but to get the very article the person wants is the true philosophy of gift-giving. That is why we are writing these lines to suggest a few things that will help you. Ours is a REAL BOOK STORE, and book-lovers will find here much to interest them. All Richmond is "rubbing elbows" at our counters, looking over our magnificent collection of Gift Books, beautifully illustrated; also the standard and popular books in biography, travel, poetry, art and fiction. From our large variety of Teachers' Bibles, Text Bibles, and every other kind we feel we can satisfy any reasonable wish. Use a choice selection of Prayer-Books and Hymnals in all styles and bindings. We will not "take a back seat" before any concern in Leather Goods, which always have been one of our strong points, and these are gifts that folks like—Lap Tablets, Portfolios, Desk Pads, Hand Bags, Pocketbooks, Card Cases, Gents' Letter Cases. Writing papers are always a welcome gift, and we carry the finest line in the fashionable sizes and shapes. A present that lasts all the year! Yes, a calendar; and we have the choicest from the largest houses of the world, by the most noted artists, and at prices in reach of every one. Our display of pictures is striking, and they appeal to every lover of art. We have a choice selection of the most popular ones, and the latest by Fisher, Christy, Underwood, Grete and others. One of our special specialties are antiques, Hand-Hammered Brass and Copperware in a variety of Eastern designs—Candlesticks, Fern Dishes, Lamps, Coffee Pots, Tea Pots, Jardinières, Gongs, etc. The Norware is distinctly new and unique, and make handsome Christmas presents. An Ideal Fountain Pen, such as Waterman's, is just what somebody you know is in need of. Perhaps he's got now one of another make—a poor one that clogs up, and it will be a charity to give him a good one. And it will not make much of a crimp in your assets to buy it,—\$3.50, up to any price. Christmas would not be Christmas without the children, and we have provided for them. Fine line of Books, Games and other things to please them, which can be seen when you call. We haven't mentioned all the good things we have, but offer these few hints as an earnest of our ability to help you in Filling the Christmas stockings. The rest of the story is told in the store.

HUNTER & CO., Inc.,
Richmond, Va.

Sydnor & Hundley's Cut Sale of Oriental Rugs.

To reduce stock for inventory, we have put on sale our CHOICE assortment of Oriental Rugs, including Karabagh, Kazak, Daghestan, Shirvan, Shiruz, Kirmanshah, Khira and Indian.

CUT—CUT—CUT
In Furniture Specialties suitable for Xmas gifts, our offerings are very attractive.

2 Specials (Auto Valets, \$15 and up) (Cellarets, \$12.75 and up)

Attention is called to our Parlor Suit Department, where special inducements are offered at this time. See our Ladies' Desks, Morris Chairs, etc., etc.

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This popular remedy never fails to effectually cure
Dyspepsia, Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness
And ALL DISEASES arising from a
Torpid Liver and Bad Digestion
The natural result is good appetite
and solid flesh. Dose: small elegant sugar coated and easy to swallow.
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